

PLEMER PLEADS GUILTY, GIVEN BOND AT \$2000

Case of Postmaster at Waialua
Will Be Investigated By Fed-
eral Grand Jury Monday

Entering a plea of guilty to a charge of having embezzled postal funds to the amount of \$2685, H. K. Plemer, postmaster at Waialua, today was committed to Oahu prison to await an investigation of his case by the federal grand jury, which meets next Monday.

Plemer was arrested by the federal authorities late yesterday afternoon at the instance of Postoffice Inspector Thomas J. Flavin, who has had the case under investigation for a week or more. A brief hearing of the case was had this morning before U. S. Commissioner George S. Curry, during which Plemer pleaded guilty. He was not represented by an attorney.

Commissioner Curry fixed Plemer's bond in the sum of \$2000.

THREE REPORTS ON SEARCH FOR PREMIER'S FOE

(Special Cable to Hawaii Shipno)
TOKIO, Japan, Jan. 14.—The man who threw the bomb at Count Okuma has not been apprehended as yet, but officers of the Central Police station deny that it was an act of a German spy. They believe that the man who tried to murder the premier was a strong partisan who had listened to the attacks upon Count Okuma by members of the Seiyukai party.

(Special Cable to Hawaii Hochi)
TOKIO, Japan, Jan. 14.—Police who are searching for the would-be murderer of Count Okuma, captured a Chinese, who is believed to be an agent of Yuan Shih-Kai. It is reported that the Chinese tried to assassinate the premier on account of his opposition to Yuan Shih-Kai. He is said to have declared that Count Okuma will annex China if he is allowed to live.

(Special Cable to Nippon Jiji)
TOKIO, Japan, Jan. 14.—Local police have been making a thorough search for the would-be assassin who attempted to kill Count Okuma, but so far their efforts have been futile.

SIERRA DELAYED BY HEAVY GALE, COMING HERE ONE DAY LATE

The Oceanic liner Sierra, en route from Australia and Samoa, will not arrive next Tuesday morning as scheduled, but will dock Wednesday morning, according to a radio received today by C. Brewer & Company, local agents of the line. The radio states that the Sierra met a heavy gale south of the Fiji islands and was so greatly delayed thereby that she will arrive one day late. The liner will probably sail for the coast the day of arrival.

NOTED WRITER OF SONGS DIES IN NEW YORK HOME

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
NEW YORK, N. Y., Jan. 14.—Samuel Cosens, author of the noted song "Swanee River," is dead here. He was 55 years of age.

Man Who Rediscovered Jesus as the subject of David Carey second talk at the Friday noon service at the Y. M. C. A. today. Mr. Carey will continue his series next week. The series is on "The Road to the Cross."

HURRY CALL FOR TRAINED NURSE FROM WAIALEE

Owing to a siege of sickness which has beset the Boys Industrial School at Waialeale, a hurry-up call for a trained nurse was received today by President A. F. Griffiths of Punahou, chairman of the territorial board of industrial schools.

Through the courtesy of Lieut.-col. F. P. Reynolds one of the men nurses from the medical corps at Fort Shafter was secured and left for the school on the 3:15 o'clock train this afternoon.

"Men nurses are very hard to find," said President Griffiths today, "and we appreciate very much the kindness of Col. Reynolds in detaching one of his men to our aid."

Several kinds of sickness were reported at the school, but measles seems to be most prevalent. Superintendent Hugh M. Tucker is ill in bed, and two of his teachers are likewise unable to attend their duties.

BEACHWALK FOLK WANT KALAKAUA AVENUE PAVING

The much-debated question of Kalakaua paving will be up for some more discussion tomorrow night at a special meeting of the Beachwalk Improvement Club. Residents of the district are anxious to get paving not only on Kalakaua avenue but throughout the Beachwalk section and are inviting to the meeting all interested property holders. The meeting will take place at the home of Jack Milton, 237 Saratoga road, beginning at 7 o'clock, and the residents intend to adopt a policy then and stick to it.

Another meeting on the general question of Kalakaua paving, including not only Beachwalk but other sections along the boulevard, is to be held at 9 o'clock next Monday morning at the Alexander Young Hotel. Beachwalk residents have heard that an attempt will be made to delay paving the boulevard and are against such policy.

FEDERAL GRAND JURY MEETS MONDAY; SLIM CALENDAR AWAITS IT

The members of the federal grand jury have been notified to be in court at 10 o'clock next Monday morning to begin work on a rather slim calendar which, it is expected, will be disposed of within a short time. There are about seven or eight cases pending for investigation, the majority of these being alleged opium transactions.

CORBETT GIVES UP; TO SPEND 83 DAYS LOCKED UP IN HONOLULU JAIL

With the prospect of spending 83 days in jail, W. H. Corbett this morning surrendered himself to the police, coming to the station with his attorney, L. M. Straus.

Corbett was fined \$80 and costs for "harboring a leper." He induced a girl to leave the Kalihi home and harbored her for several days. He was previously fined \$250 for gambling when he was taken with others in a raid in the New Allington hotel.

"Slate" Johnson, professional gambler, caused Corbett all his trouble, he said this morning.

One of the most prominent Episcopal deaconesses in the United States, a leader in training school work, Deaconess S. Knapp, dean of the New York Training School for Deaconesses, the second largest Episcopal institution of its kind on the mainland, is a through passenger on the T. K. K. liner Tenyo Maru today, bound for Manila.

HONOLULU WITH OTHER CHAMBERS ALIVE TO NEED

Strengthening of Consular Service Object of Country-Wide Vote

Voting on account of referendum No. 10, which was sent out by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America to its membership, on the question of recommending the extension and improvement of the government foreign commercial service, closed on December 30 last and shows 307 chambers of commerce and boards of trades in 42 states, District of Columbia, Hawaii and the American chambers in Berlin and Milan voting.

These organizations were entitled to different numbers of votes ranging from one to ten and on the question of supporting a recommendation which was made by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America to increase the foreign commercial service, 719 votes were cast in favor and six votes were cast against such report. As a result of the affirmative voting the national chamber stands ready to work for various changes which are expected to benefit business men of the United States through the strengthening of our consular service.

Some of the questions involved in referendum 10 in keeping with the general plan of increasing the efficiency of the government's foreign commercial service, are the distribution of American literature abroad, more liberal traveling expenses for our foreign representatives, commercial attaches and trade commissioners in the more important countries in which the United States maintains embassies and legations, new commercial attaches for Italy, Spain, Austria, Japan and Turkey, and lastly, but of extreme importance, the absolute Americanization of our consular service. These questions were all favored by a very large affirmative vote, to which the Chamber of Commerce of Honolulu contributed.

Voting on account of referendum No. 11, issued from the Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America to its membership, closed also on December 30 last and shows that commercial organizations throughout the United States, including the Chamber of Commerce of Honolulu, favored most of the questions submitted. These questions were, in substance, the establishment of a council of consultation for considering all questions which arise between nations; bringing economic pressure to bear on any nation which resorts to military measures without first submitting their difference to an international court; better protection of life on the seas, etc.

CAVALRYMAN SENDS CHESS CHALLENGE TO Y. M. CHAMPION

A. L. MacKaye, chess champion of the Y. M. C. A., has received a challenge from John E. Lindemann of Troop 1, 4th Cavalry, stationed at Schofield, which was accepted by the local champion, and a long distance match will be played in the near future.

Lindemann takes the white and the move according to the schedule and will move pawn to king's four. MacKaye will take the black and move pawn to king's four. Chess has aroused much interest at the association, and the match between the two chess champions will be watched with interest.

TRENT TRUST COMPANY HANDLES SMART ESTATE

Under bond in the sum of \$5000, the Trent Trust Company, a creditor, was appointed by Circuit Judge Whitney today as temporary administrator of the estate of the late Henry Gaillard Smart, with permission to conserve the estate. A petition for the appointment of a permanent administrator already has been filed in circuit court.

BRANDT MADE OFFICER

George Brandt was today commissioned a second lieutenant, National Guard of Hawaii. He was not previously a member of the National Guard.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Word comes from the public works inspector at Hana, Maui, to the department here that severe damages caused by the last big storm will probably necessitate the expenditure of at least \$2500.

On the strength of the early reports of the favorable action by the government on the claims of Honolulu Consolidated Oil Co. the stock of the company jumped from \$2 to \$3 a share in San Francisco.

Employed boys of the Y. M. C. A. will hold their monthly team supper at Cooke Hall on Monday evening. During the meeting four new clubs will choose officers and plan for an indoor baseball league. Herbert Byrne, who was at the Hawaiian Village at San Diego will entertain the members with vocal and instrumental selections.

PERSONALITIES

H. O. BLAISDELL, former champion typist of America, will demonstrate his ability to the commercial classes this evening at the Y. M. C. A. night school.

BY AUTHORITY

RESOLUTION
No. 400.

RESOLUTION MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE VARIOUS SERVICES AND LIABILITIES OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU FOR THE PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30TH, A. D. 1916.
BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, that the following sums, amounting to TWO HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIVE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND FORTY DOLLARS (\$285,340.00), are hereby appropriated to be paid out of all moneys in the General Fund of the Treasury of the City and County of Honolulu for salaries fixed by law and other salaries, wages of labor, donations, maintenance of jails and general expenses of the City and County for the period beginning with the first day of January, A. D. 1916, and ending with the thirtieth day of June, A. D. 1916, such payments to be made on pro rata monthly subdivisions as stated in the schedule thereof herein contained:

Appropriations Made by Law.		
Salaries and Expenses—		
	Per Month	Six Months
Mayor	\$250.00	\$1,500.00
Secretary to Mayor	150.00	900.00
Supervisors	350.00	2,100.00
Clerk	250.00	1,500.00
Auditor	250.00	1,500.00
Treasurer	250.00	1,500.00
Attorney	300.00	1,800.00
Sheriff	250.00	1,500.00
Deputy Sheriffs	605.00	3,630.00
District Magistrates	615.00	3,690.00
Clerks, District Court	295.00	1,770.00
Clerks, First Circuit Court	1,150.00	6,900.00
Stenographers, First Circuit Court	535.00	3,210.00
Interpreters, First Circuit Court	425.00	2,550.00
Probation Officers, First Circuit Court	225.00	1,350.00
Expense, Bank Examiner's Audit	200.00	1,200.00
Second District Magistrate, Honolulu	150.00	900.00

Advertising Expense	\$35,690.00
Attorney, Salaries, Deputies and Clerks	950.00
Attorney, Incidentals	75.00
Attorney, Court Expenses	Not pro-rated
Auditor, Salaries Deputy and Clerks	550.00
Auditor, Incidentals	100.00
Building and Plumbing Inspectors, Salaries	325.00
Building and Plumbing Inspectors, Incidentals	100.00
Burial of Indigent Dead	Not pro-rated
City and County Physician, Salary	225.00
City and County Physician, Medicine	Not pro-rated
City and County Physician, Maintenance and Upkeep	120.00

Autos	50.00
City and County Engineer, Salaries and Payrolls	705.00
City and County Engineer, Incidentals	175.00
Clerk, Salary Deputies and Clerks	595.00
Clerk, Incidentals	75.00
Collection and Disposition of Garbage	2,125.00
District Court, Salary of Employees	375.00
District Court, Incidentals	50.00
Donation, Associated Charities	Not pro-rated
Donation, Children's Hospital	100.00
Donation, Hawaii Promotion Committee	250.00
Donation, Palama Clinic	50.00
Donation, Salvation Army Home, Manoa	Not pro-rated
Donation, Humane Society	Not pro-rated
Electric Light System, Salaries and Payrolls	905.00
Electric Light System, Emergency Payrolls	225.00
Electric Light System, Material and Supplies	1,090.00

Extradition and Criminal Investigation Fund, Not pro-rated	500.00
Fish Inspectors, Salary	170.00
Fees, Commissioners of Insanity	Not pro-rated
Fees, Coroners' Juries	Not pro-rated
Fire Department, Salaries and Payrolls	4,605.00
Fire Department, Material and Supplies	700.00
Emergency Hospital Physician, Salary	200.00
Emergency Hospital, Supplies	Not pro-rated
Emergency Hospital, Incidentals	Not pro-rated
Hospital Expense, Palama Home	1,400.00
Hospital, Salaries and Payrolls	175.00
Hospital, General	Not pro-rated
Hospital Expense, General	Not pro-rated
Hawaiian Band, Salaries and Payrolls	2,245.00
Hawaiian Band, Incidentals	75.00
Honolulu Civil Service Commissioners	Not pro-rated
Jails, Salaries and Payrolls	1,070.00
Jails (Country), Incidentals	Not pro-rated
Kapiolani Park, Maintenance and Upkeep	Not pro-rated
Mayor, Incidentals	75.00
Mayor, Entertainment Fund	Not pro-rated
Mayor, Upkeep of Automobile	Not pro-rated
Mayor, Salary of Chauffeur	75.00
Meat and Food Inspector, Salary	175.00
Meat Inspector and Veterinary Surgeon	120.00
Milk Inspector, Salary	50.00
Police Inspector, Transportation	105.00
Office Rent, Janitor and Messenger Service	400.00
Maintenance and Upkeep of Parks	1,000.00
Police Force, Maintenance and Upkeep	Not pro-rated
Police and Fire System, Salaries and Payrolls	220.00
Police and Fire System, Material and Supplies	150.00
Purchasing Agent and Committee Clerk, Salary	150.00
Purchasing Agent—Salary of Assistant	75.00
Public Baths, Maintenance and Upkeep	200.00
Supervisors, Incidentals	Not pro-rated
Support of Prisoners	750.00
Treasurer, Salary Deputy and Clerks	500.00
Treasurer, Incidentals	Not pro-rated
Waste Disposal	Not pro-rated
Maintenance, Roads, Waimanalo	750.00
Maintenance, Roads, Koolauloa	600.00
Maintenance, Roads, Waimanalo	Not pro-rated
Workmen's Compensation Act	Not pro-rated
Maintenance, Roads, Koolauloko (Pali Road)	600.00
Maintenance and Upkeep, Board and Treasurer Auto	Not pro-rated

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the item DAIRY STOCK INSPECTOR, TRANSPORTATION be payable to the Territorial Board of Agriculture and Forestry in consideration of salary of inspector and free testing of cattle for tuberculosis.	250.00
AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the following sums, amounting to EIGHTY ONE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$81,300.00) be and the same are hereby appropriated to be paid out of all moneys in the Road Tax Special Fund of the Treasury of the City and County of Honolulu for the building and maintenance of roads and bridges in the respective districts named herein, for the period beginning with the first day of January, A. D. 1916, and ending with the thirtieth day of June, A. D. 1916, said payments to be made pro-rata monthly subdivision of said amounts as stated in the schedule thereof herein contained, to wit:	

District of Honolulu	\$10,000.00	\$60,000.00
District of Ewa-Waialae	1,500.00	9,000.00
District of Waialua	1,000.00	6,000.00
District of Wahiawa	Not pro-rated	1,500.00
District of Koolauloa	400.00	2,400.00
District of Koolauloko	400.00	2,400.00

Meat and Food Inspector, Salary	105.00	1,300.00
Meat Inspector and Veterinary Surgeon	175.00	1,000.00
Milk Inspector, Salary	120.00	720.00
Dairy Stock Inspector, Transportation	50.00	300.00
Office Rent, Janitor and Messenger Service	4,000.00	2,400.00
Maintenance and Upkeep of Parks	1,000.00	6,000.00
Police Force, Maintenance and Upkeep	Not pro-rated	72,500.00
Police and Fire System, Salaries and Payrolls	220.00	1,320.00
Police and Fire System, Material and Supplies	180.00	1,080.00
Parasiting Agent—Commission Clerk, Salary	50.00	900.00
Purchasing Agent—Salary of Assistant	75.00	450.00
Public Baths, Maintenance and Upkeep	200.00	1,200.00
Supervisors, Incidentals	Not pro-rated	60.00
Support of Prisoners	750.00	4,500.00
Treasurer, Salary Deputy and Clerks	500.00	3,000.00
Treasurer, Incidentals	Not pro-rated	500.00
Witness Fees	Not pro-rated	1,200.00
Maintenance, Roads, Waianae	750.00	4,500.00
Maintenance, Roads, Koolauloa	600.00	3,600.00
Maintenance, Roads, Waialana	Not pro-rated	800.00
Workmen's Compensation Act	Not pro-rated	1,000.00
Maintenance, Roads, Koolapoiko (Pali Road)	600.00	3,600.00
Maintenance and Upkeep, Board and Treasurer Auto		750.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Auditor of the City and County of Honolulu is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrants on

The provision of the Oregon prohibition law, which makes it illegal for one person to give liquor to another will not prevent the serving of alcoholic drinks by a host to guests in his home, according to a ruling made by District Attorney Walter H. Evans. He also ruled that liquor may be given to one person to another who is ill and needs it.

Thorite, a mineral produced principally in Norway, has been found to possess some of the therapeutic powers of radium and to serve as a less expensive substitute for it. Mr. Douglas Arthur Teed, of Binghamton, has completed his oil porphyry test of Governor Charles S. Whitman.

The Treasurer of the said City and County for any of the sums named herein, or parts thereof, upon having filed with him schedule of salaries fixed by law and other salaries, of donations named herein, of payrolls and accounts for materials and supplies for general expenses and permanent improvements accompanied by original vouchers and certified by the City and County Clerk as having been duly passed and allowed by the Board of Supervisors at any regular meeting or any special meeting called for the purpose of considering expenditures;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that to make expenditures under this resolution, it shall be necessary that all salary lists, items covering donations, payrolls, accounts of general expenses and permanent improvements shall, before being presented to the Board of Supervisors, be passed upon by a Committee or Committees and by such Committee or Committees be reported to the Board of Supervisors with their recommendations, and sum found to be lawfully filed and payable may then be voted upon singly or collectively as convenient, on a call of the ayes and noes. In the event of any such Committee failing or neglecting to so pass any such matters or to make any recommendation in regard thereto, the Board may thereupon act.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that no liability under this resolution shall be incurred in any month in excess of the monthly pro-rata sums herein authorized.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall take effect upon its approval.

Introduced by,
DANIEL LOGAN,
Supervisor.

Honolulu, January 6, 1916.

Approved this 13th day of January, A. D. 1916,
JOHN C. LANE,
Mayor, City and County Honolulu, T. H.
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